

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**Acergy-57**

In Re Application Of: **Matthew Trevor Snowden et al.**

| Application No. | Filing Date | Examiner       | Customer No. | Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. |
|-----------------|-------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| 10/594,777      | 09/29/2006  | To Be Assigned | 39703        | To BeAssigned  | 7103             |

Invention: **Method and Apparatus for Laying Elongate Articles**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 21, 2007 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

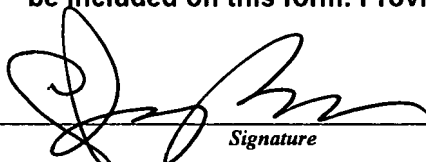
☐ One month      ☐ Two months      ☒ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: July 21, 2007      until: October 21, 2007  
*Date*      *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$1,020 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4345  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-4345  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
*Signature*

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Dated: **October 2, 2007**

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(Date)

  
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